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25X1A 8. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Art Kuhl, Senate Foreign Relations  
25X1A Committee staff, and Colonel Howard Anderson, USAF escort officer, and  
25X1A discussed their forthcoming round-the-world trip with Senator and Mrs.  
Symington. The Senator has indicated that he would like to leave Wednesday,  
15 December, and tentatively plans for briefings in Hawaii, Japan, Korea,  
Okinawa, Taiwan, Philippines, Khmer Republic (Cambodia), Thailand,  
India, Pakistan, Iran, Israel, Turkey, Greece, Italy, Austria, Germany,  
France and Belgium. As appropriate, the Senator desires briefings by the  
ambassador, the military, [REDACTED] Travel will be commercial except where  
commercial is not available. It was requested if possible that Kuhl and  
Anderson attend briefings arranged for the Senator. I told them I would advise  
them later on this point. It was agreed that contact would be made through  
[REDACTED] at all stops where such briefings are  
desired by the Senator and that I would alert our station personnel at each of  
the stops to expect a possible request for briefing. Kuhl was apologetic that  
the travel plans at present are so indefinite. He is not sure that the itinerary  
will be firmed up prior to departure from Washington.

25X1A 9. (Confidential - JGO) After talking to Mr. Duckett, DDS&T,  
concerning the Navy testimony scheduled for this morning before the Investi-  
gating Subcommittee of House Armed Services Committee, I talked to John  
Reddan, of the Subcommittee staff, who reaffirmed that the Subcommittee is  
not interested in any prior use or operation of the equipment in question.  
(See Journal of 8 December) I in turn reaffirmed for him that the Agency  
was not in any fashion controlling the testimony of the Navy witnesses.  
Reddan called me late in the day and told me that the hearing was a good one  
and had gone off without incident. He expressed the Chairman's appreciation  
for the Agency's assistance in this matter. STATOTHR

10. (Confidential - JGO) Received a call from [REDACTED] WH  
Division, who told me that the Division has received a request from OCI for  
information on two Soviet officers stationed in South America for transmittal  
to INR/State Department to Representative Dante Fascell, of the House Foreign  
Affairs Committee. It was agreed that the information would be forwarded  
through this Office for proper channelling back to Fascell.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT : Information for Passage to Congressman  
Dante Fascell

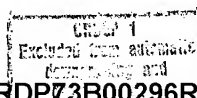
The following is for passage to your Legislative Counsel Counterpart in the Department of State for delivery to Congressman Dante Fascell of the House of Representatives Sub-committee on Inter-American Affairs:

There is no firm evidence that the Soviet Diplomatic and Commercial Trade Mission representatives in Costa Rica are other than what they claim to be.

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Chief  
Western Hemisphere Division



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### ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

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Information for Passage to Congressman Dante Fascell

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Chief, WHD

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to D & R, State who  
passed original req.  
to me - J*